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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
GROUP 1623  
PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: A8285

DAWSON, CHANDLER R., et al.

Appln. No.: 09/767,943

Group Art Unit: 1623

Confirmation No.: 2773

Examiner: Peslev, E.

Filed: January 24, 2001

For: TOPICAL TREATMENT OF PREVENTION OF OCULAR INFECTIONS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

ATTN: BOX AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated August 19, 2002. A Petition for a one month extension of time is being concurrently filed, together with the required fee, making a response due on or before December 19, 2002. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please delete claim 101.

Please enter the following amended claims:

Claim 45 (Twice Amended). A process for treating an eye, comprising:

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